



## Long Term Care (LTC) Home and Community Based (HCBS) Services Waiver *Agency Option*



### ***WHAT WAIVER SERVICES CAN I RECEIVE IF I CHOOSE THE AGENCY OPTION?***

A participant in the Long Term Care (LTC) Waiver - Agency option may receive a variety of services. You and your case manager will determine what services you will receive, based on your assessed needs, and you will then be able to choose the providers you want to provide the services.

*The following are services available under the LTC Waiver Agency Option:*

- Case Management
- Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Services
- Skilled Nursing
- Home Delivered Meals
- Personal Emergency Response System (PERS) Installation
- PERS Monthly Monitoring
- Non-Medical Transportation
- Adult Day Care
- Respite Services

Not all participants receive all services. Services are determined based on availability in the participant's geographic area. Participants only receive services that the management team determines are necessary. The management team includes the Case Manager, the participant, and any other essential individuals.

### ***HOW DO I APPLY?***

- Contact the Division of Healthcare Financing Home Care Services Unit toll free at 1-855-203-2823

The following criteria must be met in order to be LTC Waiver eligible:

- Require nursing home level of care determined by an LT-101 assessment completed by a public health nurse.
- Meet Medicaid financial requirements determined by the Medicaid Long Term Care Financial Eligibility Unit; and

### ***WHAT IS THE COST OF CARE?***

- A participant is not responsible to contribute towards the cost of approved services provided under the Long Term Care Home and Community Based Waiver Agency Option.

**CAN I SWITCH BETWEEN THE AGENCY OPTION AND THE PARTICIPANT-DIRECTED CARE AT ANY TIME?**

- Yes, if a participant chooses to self-direct they may change to the Participant-Directed Option.

**WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF BEING A PARTICIPANT IN THE AGENCY OPTION?**

- Choice of Personal Care Agency
- Agency provides the staff of Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA) to provide PCA services
- Agency handles all scheduling of PCA services